Amendment

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AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the original PCT abstract by the following amended abstract:

System in which the depollution device is associated with an oxidation catalyst, and the

engine is associated with a common rail for feeding it with fuel and adapted to implement a

regeneration strategy using at least one post-injection of fuel into the cylinders. In the system, a

request for regeneration (req.RG) can be detected, whether the engine is in a stage of idling can be

detected, a temperature downstream from the catalyst can be acquired, a maximum duration for

post-injection application during the stage of idling can be determined on the basis of said

temperature, and the post-injection can be progressively reduced as soon as the duration of use has

reached the maximum duration.

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